

REMARKS

In the Restriction Requirement mailed December 27, 2007, the Examiner restricted the claims to the following inventions:

Group I: Claims 1-4 and 32-34

Group II: Claims 5-8 and 36-38

Group III: Claims 9-11 and 40-41

Group IV: Claims 15-16 and 42-49

Applicant traverses the restriction requirement. However, Applicant elects to prosecute the invention of Group II including claims 5-8 and 36-38. Applicant has withdrawn claims 1-4, 32-34, 9-11, 40-41, 15-16, and 42-49.

If Examiner believes that further dialog would expedite consideration of the application, Examiner is invited to contact Trading Technologies in-house Patent Counsel Monika Dudek at 312-476-1118, or the undersigned attorney or agent.

Respectfully Submitted,

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